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GEORGE
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AND
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We Are Now
SHOWING NEW THINGS
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Beautiful Goods and Handsome
Effects. Choice things in Sat-
teens and Gingham. New Em-
broideries and White Goods.

GEORGE - DEWALD
AND
COMPANY,
Calhoun and Columbia Sts

REAL ESTATE.
Some very Sales Recorded in the
Past Few Days.

Frank D. Paulus has sold to Augusta
A. Stapleford, lot 5, Fairfield's addition,
for \$2,000.

Robert L. Romey to Richard C. Ross,
lots 2 and 3, Bass & Hough's addition,
for \$1,000.

Levi M. Jones to Elizabeth Vought,
lot 21, L. M. Jones' sub-division, for
\$700.

James C. Wilnot to Edward Noble,
lot 57, Lillie's addition, for \$250.

George Motz, executor, to Jacob and
Caroline Butz, lot 1, Hanna's addition,
for \$1,200.

The Weather.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Indiana—
Clearing, except continued light snow
along the lakes; colder; northwesterly
winds.

For five days only—Fur caps and
plush caps at cost.
15-5t SAM, PETE & MAX.

Another Reduction of 1-2c Pound on
Sugars.

Choice Yellow New Orleans Sugar,
5c.

Choice Extra C Sugar, 6c.
Standard Coffee A Sugar, 7c.
Granulated Sugar, 7c.

FRUIT HOUSE.

Notice.

I will offer for sale, to-morrow morn-
ing, at 10 o'clock, at public auction, at
the Old Postoffice building, one safe,
four stoves and pipe, desks, pigeonholes
and fixtures belonging to the same.

WM. KAUGH, Postmaster.

WAGNER'S
Drug Store
H. G. Somers, Proprietor.

Drugs, Chemicals, Paints,
Varnishes, Oils, Glass,
Toilet Articles,
Wines and Liquors, Etc.

WHOLESALE and RETAIL DRUGS.

35 Calhoun Street.
15-1mo.

A. F. GESSLER,
DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF

FRESH, SALT
AND

SMOKED - MEATS,

60 East Main Street.

He has just placed new machinery in
his establishment and is now prepared
to make the finest Sausages in the mar-
ket. Dressed Poultry and Home-made
Lard for sale. 24-1yr.

Fresh Oysters,
Fish, Poultry

And all kinds of Game in Season at
NIXON & FOX,
171 West Berry Street. 14th-Duo.

HORRIBLE HOLOCAUST.

An Explosion Wrecks a Big Hotel at
Hartford, Conn., and Scores
of People are Buried
in the Ruins.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 18.—The
shock of a tremendous explosion
awoke the residents for blocks around
the corner of High and Allyn streets, at
about 5 o'clock this morning. On that
corner stood the Park Central hotel, a
five story brick structure of about thirty
feet front and 100 feet deep.

The first to arrive on the scene found
this building a heap of ruins, from
which issued smoke and steam in dense
clouds and the spectators were appalled
by the shrieks and groans of many hu-
man beings, who were imprisoned in the
mass of timber and masonry, from
which flames were already bursting.

A general alarm immediately sum-
moned the entire fire department, and
an immense crowd, attracted by the ex-
plosion, and the fire alarms, soon packed
the streets in the vicinity. At first the
fire and smoke entirely prevented any
rescue of the victims, and it was not
until a flood of water had
been poured upon the ruins
that the work could be prosecuted. A
few dead or dying persons were taken
from the edge of the debris, however,
within an hour after the explosion.

The force of the explosion threw a
bed with a sleeping woman upon it,
far into the street, while one of the
heavy doors of the house landed a block
away.

By 9 o'clock the flames were so far
subdued that the rescuers were enabled
to get some of the victims. Some were
pinned beneath heavy timbers, upon
which rested masses of masonry, ren-
dering the work of rescue extremely
hazardous.

The report that the members of the
"Hoodman Blind" Theatrical company
were in the ruined hotel is incorrect.
Mr. E. P. Munroe, the business man-
ager, says some of the company applied
to the hotel last night for accommoda-
tions, but could not get them and went
elsewhere.

The house had accommodation for
about 100 guests and was a favorite over-
Sunday stopping place for commercial
travellers. An intending guest, who
applied for a room late Saturday even-
ing, was informed that they were full,
so it seems probable that at least eighty
persons were in the house at the time of
the explosion, of which perhaps twenty
escaped uninjured. These were mostly
employees, who occupied an annex, or
wing, of the house extending to the east
and which has not yet fallen, although
in a very shaky condition.

Among those known to be buried in
the ruins are the Rev. Dr. L. Perrin
and wife, of New Britain, and R. W. T.
Whitney, actuary of the Hartford Life
and Annuity Insurance companies, and
wife, and Wellington Ketchum, proprie-
tor of the hotel, wife and son.

About six persons have been
sent to the hospitals. Owing
to the destruction of the register of the
hotel the names of many of the guests
cannot be ascertained.

The catastrophe is generally sup-
posed to have been caused by an explo-
sion of the boiler, although some doubts
are expressed on this point, as the build-
ing had been popularly supposed to be
unsafe. It was built on "made" ground.
The street department and the rail-
road have furnished their forces of la-
borers with jacks, etc., and the work
of searching for bodies is now going
forward in a systematic manner.

FEARFUL SCENES.
It was a sight of horror, and one that
will never be forgotten by the specta-
tors. Flames completely enveloped the
ruins, and the shrieks of the wounded
and dying rose high above the hoarse
shouts of the firemen and the noise of
the engines, which had been summoned
by an alarm sent in from the depart-
ment.

The scenes about the ruins were hor-
rible. In the center of the spot where
the building stood were a man, his wife
and little daughter. No help could get
to them and they finally fell back into
the flames and died in plain sight of the
spectators. The little girl cried for help
but the woman and man uttered not a
word, but embraced in each other's
arms met death bravely.

Away out in the rear of the annex the
shrieks of a woman caused the blood of
the people looking on to turn cold as
they saw a young girl, lying with her
body half across a beam and a look of
agonny on her face. Finally the support
fell and she disappeared from sight.

The shock of the explosion blew away
every window in the south side of the
Earl house, which is just north of the
Park Central, into fragments.

Women, their faces blanched with
terror, and strong men, pale with fright,
rushed headlong into the street in their
night clothes.

A DRUNKEN ENGINEER.
It, as it is generally believed, the dis-
aster was caused by the boiler, it was
probably caused by the night engineer
going away about midnight drunk, leav-
ing a heavy draught on the furnace and
little water in the boiler. When the
day engineer came he probably turned
on the water and caused the explosion.
But he is dead and can give no evidence.
It is said the night engineer was of ir-
regular habits, and all sorts of rumors
are afloat.

REMOVING THE BODIES.
Up to 3 o'clock sixteen bodies have
been recovered from the ruins. Eight
dead and eight still alive. Mrs. Ketch-
um, wife of the proprietor, it is thought,
will not survive, as she is suffering from
a severe contusion of the spine.

PARTIAL LIST OF THE DEAD.
The transient guests who were killed
and are already identified, are as fol-
lows: J. M. Haseman, traveling agent
Revere Rubber Co., Boston, Brook-
lyn, N. Y.

George W. Root, a drummer for Wait,
Williams & Co., Boston.

A. T. Tullason, drummer for the
Merrill Chemical company, of Cincin-
nati.

Fannie Howe and Lizzie Geraie, two
young women from Springfield.

Mr. J. C. Hill, New York, travelling
salesman.

It is believed that Mrs. Wesson, of
Springfield, the widow of Frank Wes-
son, was in the hotel together with all
of her family, five children and probably
a servant or two.

Big Suit Decided.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The suit of
George M. Rollins against the Chicago
refrigerating car company, which has
been on trial for ten days before Justice
Andrews and a jury in the supreme
court ended to-day, the jury giving a
verdict for the plaintiff of \$7,114.68.

THE POSTOFFICE.

The Reception at the New Building
and its Occupants.

The reception at the new federal
building, Saturday night, was a grand
success in spite of the rain storm.

Postmaster Kaough did honors royal
and posted his men all through the
building to explain its features to the
visitors. Again he opened the doors to
visitors yesterday afternoon and the
magnificent edifice was thronged from
2 until 4 o'clock.

The postmaster and his assistants are
snugly situated in their apartments and
all are pleased but Admiral Drake. His
new letter rack has not come from Cin-
cinnati and he cannot be consoled.
Revenue Inspector Yergens, Stamp
Clerk Schroeder and Guager Sweet took
possession of their quarters this morn-
ing and callers smoked with them.

STOLE \$310.

Albert Altrogge Relieved of That
Sum.

Albert Altrogge, proprietor of the Chi-
cago restaurant, reports to the police
that \$310 was stolen from a trunk in his
room last night.

He suspects a servant and a boarder
of the theft.

WHO IS HE?

A Queer Advertisement From Fort
Wayne in the Clipper.

The following advertisement appears
in the New York Clipper from Fort
Wayne:

WANTED—Lady singers and dancers.
Wire lowest salary per week. I pay
board and transportation.
NED TURNER,
27 Baker Street.

CANADA'S trade with England has
fallen off about \$4,000,000 during the
last ten months, while the aggregate
trade of the country has slightly in-
creased.

A BUTER of goods should remember
one thing when a merchant talks about
"letting him in on a ground floor price."
There is often one floor below the
ground floor, where the cellar comes in.
—Bass.

Excursion Rates to Washington via
the Wabash Railway.

On the occasion of the inauguration
of President-elect Harrison, March 4,
1889, the Wabash railway will sell ex-
cursion tickets from Fort Wayne at the
very low rate of one fare for the round
trip, or \$15.00. Tickets will be on sale
from February 26 to March 3, and will
be good for return passage up to and in-
cluding March 10. Further information
furnished upon application to

R. G. THOMPSON,

18-10t Passenger and Ticket Agent.

TALKING OVER TAXES!

Senator Barrett's Bill Aimed at Cap-
italists and as Such the Build-
ing Associations En-
dorse It.

At his law office yesterday after-
noon, Hon. J. M. Barrett, met the rep-
resentatives of the various building and
loan associations of the city.

There were present such men as F. D.
Casasave, C. Hettler, W. P. Breen,
Barney Fitzpatrick, William D. Meyer,
Herman Scheumann, D. J. Shaw, J. B.
Monning, Otto Herbst, G. J. Motz,
John H. Pranger, Theodore Gotsch and
other gentlemen equally as prominent.

Mr. Barrett read them his bill, and
stated just what it aimed at. He said
that on going to the state legislature he
found that in this state there are associa-
tions with an aggregate capital of \$30,-
000,000, and every cent of it escaped
taxation. "These associations exist under
the law of 1885, and permit bankers,
capitalists and speculators to combine
for their own aggrandizement.

Mr. Casasave, Captain Hettler, Mr.
Breen, in fact every man present, just-
ified Mr. Barrett's purpose and agreed
that the law of 1885 was unwise and
wrong, and that it ought to be repealed
at once, and the law as it stood in 1881
ought to be re-enacted. The law of 1881
did not permit wealthy men to become
members for the purpose of loaning
their money and escaping taxation, as
does the laws of 1885.

It is under the law of 1881 that the
Fort Wayne Building and Loan asso-
ciation operates, and this class of asso-
ciations Mr. Barrett wishes to avoid
and encourage by making the fraudulent
associations pay their just burdens.

This report of the committee, from the
pen of Captain Hettler, explains itself
admirably:

To the Officers and Members of the Different
Building Associations of the City of Fort
Wayne.

GENTLEMEN:—Your committee ap-
pointed by you to take in charge the
matter now pending in the legislature of
this state concerning the taxation of
building associations, respectfully beg
leave to report progress as follows:

The committee met Senator J. M.
Barrett at Indianapolis, and after con-
sultation the senator decided to meet
the committee and such others as the
committee might appoint for further
consultation on the question.

At the meeting on the 17th day of
February, 1889, the senator explained in
full the law governing the associations,
enacted in the year 1885, and showed
that the said law is so worded that it
can be abused so as to allow capital-
ists to invest their money in any sum
and thereby escape taxation.

Your committee, and all others pre-
sent, agreed with him, and pledged their
support to help him to suppress such
outrages, and it was decided, as asked
by the senator, to furnish him as early
as possible with an outline of sugges-
tions as to how the said law shall be
amended, and F. D. Casasave, W. P.
Breen and C. Hettler were appointed
to take the matter in charge.

After investigation the senator was
satisfied that none of the Fort Wayne
associations are actually acting and
carrying on business as allowed by
the law of 1885, and notwithstanding this
law, and even a few being under the
same law, all are carrying on their busi-
ness according to the law of 1881 which
is a just law, and no fraud can be prac-
ticed under it. After expressing his
satisfaction the senator explained his
proposed tax reform bill by which every
tax-payer would be enabled to deduct
his bona fide mortgage indebtedness from
the valuation of his real estate, and the
senator said further that unless the
above mentioned bill should fail to pass
nothing should be done with the build-
ing association tax bill, and if by amending
the law of 1885 the desired remedy could
be reached, then nothing should be done
with the association tax bill now pend-
ing, and even should the general tax re-
form bill pass, your committee should
first be notified should anything more
be necessary.

Your committee, with others hereunto
undersigned, have reasons to believe
and to say to the different associations
of this state, as well as others in other
cities of this state, conducted in a like
manner, that they can safely carry on
their business the same as heretofore with-
out any damaging interruption from the
present legislation.

Thanking the senator for his courtesy
and the public in general for their sup-
port in upholding such noble institu-
tions as the Fort Wayne building as-
sociations, we respectfully submit this
report.

C. HETTLER, Chairman.
W. P. BREEN.
F. D. CASASAVE.
OTTO HERBST.
HERMAN A. SCHEUMANN.
B. FITZPATRICK.
O. E. BRADWAY.
C. B. HIGGINS.
H. ZOT MUEHLER.
CHAS. MOTZ.

PIONEERS GO.

Alex. Stewart, John McCartney,
Prof. John Weber and E. C.
Difenderfer Pass
AWAY.

The pioneers are leaving the land
that knows their greatness too soon, in-
deed.

Sunday evening occurred the death of
John J. Weber, principal of the East
German school, at his home, No. 344
East Washington street. Professor
Weber was sixty-three years old and was
forty-one years a teacher in this country
and Switzerland, his home. He former-
ly taught in St. John's reformed school
and was widely known and universally
regarded as an honorable man. A wife,
three daughters and a son survive him.
John McCartney, father of ex-Sheriff
John McCartney, died at his home at
Cedarville, yesterday, aged ninety-six
years. He has lived in this country over
half a century and his ripe old age at-
tests his faithful, exemplary life.

Alexander Stewart, formerly postmas-
ter at Leo, this county, and its principal
dry goods merchant, died last night,
aged eighty-seven years. He was an
honored citizen and one of the old set-
tlers of the county. Sheriff Viberg tells
us that Rev. Mr. Boggs, of the Third
Presbyterian church, will go out to con-
duct the funeral.

Mr. B. O. Diffenderfer, a citizen well
and widely known, died at his residence,
on West DeWald street, at half past
eight o'clock this morning. Mr. Diffen-
derfer was born in Lancaster, Pa., Sept.
6, 1830, and has lived a long, honorable
and useful life. The funeral occurs
Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Catherine E. Pegg, aged sixty-
eight years, died this morning at her
home, corner St. Mary's avenue and
Hoffman streets, of old age.

Mr. Wilhelmus Horstmeier, aged
eighty-seven years, died last night, at
his home, No. 5 Wall street, of old age.
The funeral will be held Wednesday.
She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Piepen-
brink, and three sons, Henry, Louis and
Chas. Horstmeier.

CONGRSS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—In the senate
to-day Mr. Vest entered a motion to re-
consider the vote by which the confer-
ence report of the direct tax bill was
agreed to Saturday. This hangs the
bill up temporarily and may result in
its defeat.

Base Ball Evangelist.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Center-fielder
Billy Lunday appeared at Farewell last
night as an evangelist. His talk was
from the text, "Is the young man safe?"
and was the most successful of the year.
Many young men were converted.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CLOSING PRICES—1:15 P. M.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Wheat: February,
\$1.06; March, 1.07; May, \$1.09; June,
\$1.04. Oats: February, 25; March,
26; May, 27; June, 26.
Corn: February, 34; March, 34; May,
35; June, 35. Pork: Feb-
ruary, \$11.00; March, \$11.00; May,
\$11.17; June, \$11.27. Lard: Feb-
ruary, \$6.52; March, \$6.55; May,
\$6.50; June, \$6.70. Short ribs:
February, \$5.77; March, \$5.77; May,
\$5.92; June, \$6.00.

Mr. Ed L. Bean returned to Pitts-
burg this morning.

Mr. J. A. Byall, formerly of New
Waverly, Ind., has opened a new drug
store at 28 Oliver street, in this city.

A PRIZE of about \$2,500 has been
offered by the committee of the Caspian
fisheries, in Russia, for the discovery of
means for protecting fish against infec-
tion, and for treating persons suffering
from the use of poisonous fish. Invest-
igators have until January, 1893 to send
in their essays.

PRESIDENT LEGITIME, of Hayti, is de-
scribed by a correspondent who recently
interviewed him as "black as the ace of
spades. He is a tall, finely-formed man
about 45 years old. His face is covered
with a heavy black beard and mustache.
His manners are those of a refined and
courteous gentleman. He was not
dressed in military uniform at the inter-
view, but wore a loose and ill-fitting
suit of black broadcloth. His whole
bearing was easy and distinguished."

Bond's mixed cow feed is best. It in-
creases the flow of milk and gives the
cows a sleek glossy coat. Mill, 65 East
Columbia street. 18-2t

Q. & O. ball to-morrow night. Tickets

50 cents.

Coffee Beans to Pound.

Best roasted Rio coffee, 21c pound.

All package coffee 22c pound.

FRUIT HOUSE.

COLLAPSE OF A BUILDING.

A Chicago Structure Falls to
Pieces, and Its Fourteen
Stories Are a Pile of
Wreckage.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—The Owing's block
one of the tallest office buildings in
America, collapsed yesterday and is now
in ruins. It was a beautiful gothic
structure, fourteen stories high, situated
at the corner of Dearborn and Adams
streets, just opposite the postoffice, in
the center of the business district. The
ten lower stories fell in, leaving the
walls and four upper floors and roof
standing in a decidedly shaky condi-
tion.

In the tenth story the tile flooring
was defective or was damaged by the
natural settling of the building. With-
out the slightest warning, the great
mass of tiles and girding forming the
injured floors crashed to the story be-
low, carrying that with it, and the two
together, acting like a huge pile driver,
pounded a way for themselves to the
bottom. About a hundred and twenty-
five workmen have been steadily en-
gaged in the building, but it being Sun-
day less than a dozen were on hand.
All were in the basement, but escaped
uninjured by rushing out into the
streets immediately.

American Wheelmen.

New York, Feb. 18.—The National
League of American Wheelmen began
their annual session this morning at the
Grand Union hotel. Mr. Charles H.
Luscomb, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was
elected president.

John L. Sullivan.

New York, Feb. 18.—John L. Sulli-
van arrived from Boston this morning.
He spent the day in visiting the sporting
resorts. He will remain here several
days.

Smith and Mitchell.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Jem Smith and
Charlie Mitchell have signed articles to
box ten rounds on April 1 for £200 a
side in a sixteen foot ring.

A Wealthy Chinaman.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Baron Li-Yen-
Pang, who is said to be worth \$40,000,-
000, and one of the richest men in
China, arrived in this city last night.

THE LAST SAD RITE.

The Funeral of the Late Mrs. Mar-
garet Taylor—It Was Large-
ly Attended.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret S. Tay-
lor, the beloved and revered mother of
Judge R. S. Taylor, I. N. Taylor, S. R.
Taylor and Mrs. W. L. Hulse, of this
city, and Mrs. E. T. Housh, of Brattle-
boro, Vt., and Mrs. Geo. H. Rehm, of
Kansas City, occurred at 3 o'clock yes-
terday afternoon from the Second Pres-
byterian church, where an able discourse
was preached and the last sad rites
pronounced by the pastor, Rev. J. L.
Leeper, assisted by Rev. Dr. Moffat, of
the First church. A large concourse of
friends attended the church service.
The music for the solemn occasion was
by the Haydn quartet, with Prof. Meyer
at the organ. The interment was at
Lindenwood.

The deceased was born in Orange
county, New York, February 14, 1818.
Her maiden name was Stewart. At the
age of nineteen she was married to
Isaac N. Taylor, a Presbyterian minis-
ter, a young man then located near
Chillicothe, Ohio. They afterwards lo-
cated in this state. Mrs. Taylor was a
very delicate lady and during life was
afflicted with sickness and suffered much,
all of which she bore with true Chris-
tian fortitude and uncomplainingly. Of
her it could truly be said: "Whom the
Lord loveth He chasteneth." For years
she had been suffering from an incur-
able disease, which caused her great pain
and was the result of her death. She
died on the seventy-first anniversary of
her birth. Being a devout Christian
lady she was beloved by all who came in
contact with her and she will be missed
and mourned by a large circle of rela-
tives and friends.

The following gentlemen acted as
pall bearers: L. M. Ninde, S. B. Bond,
S. A. Burrows, F. W. Antrup, O. J.
Wilson and G. E. Bursley.

New and Fresh Candies at Barncro's.

98 Calhoun Street.

Yale marshmallows, orange, vanilla
and chocolate flavors; jubjub gum
pastilles, Oxford jelly gum drops, Yale
chocolate creams, assorted flavors, and
a fine line of home-made candies, nut
candy, caramels, butter cups, chips, &c.

Go to the dance to-morrow night, at
Arion hall.

WANTED.—A good girl at No. 78 Grisham
street. Best wages paid.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight adulterated or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 Wall St., N. Y.

RABUS
—THE—
TAILOR.
Carries the Largest Line of Foreign and Domestic Goods in
Suits, Overcoatings, Trouserings IN THE CITY.

Work - All - Guaranteed!
NO. 16 WEST BERRY STREET
Six Doors West of Calhoun.

RABUS
—THE—
TAILOR. 19-100.

FOR RENT.
OVERSEERS WANTED EVERYWHERE at home or to travel. We wish to employ a reliable person in your county to take up advertisements and show cards of Electric Goods. Advertisements to be taken up everywhere, on trees, fences and turnpikes, in corn fields, places, in town and country in all parts of the United States and Canada. Steady employment; wages \$2.00 per day; expenses advanced; no talking required. Local work for all or part of the time. Address with stamp.
EMORY & CO., Managers, 341 Vine St., Cincinnati, O. No attention paid to postal cards. 15-107

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A planning mill fully equipped with tools and machinery for doing a large business. Engine and boiler nearly new. Located on seven lots adjoining the Wash and the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroads, near depot. Lumber on hand. Can be bought at a bargain. Apply to H. C. Taylor, on the premises, or to A. H. Carter, Foster Block, City. 19-1041

FOR RENT.—Store room No. 41 East Main street, Miner block, by W. E. & G. E. Miner, Room 5, Avenue House Block. 26-1

FOUND.
FOUND.—Watch and chain. Owner can have same by calling at this office, proving property and paying for this advertisement. 10-17
FOUND.—A large flat key. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this advertisement. 12-17

WANTED.
WANTED.—A girl to do housework in a small family, at 202 West Wayne street. 15-17

WANTED.—People in want of any kind of help or employment to call at the Employment Agency, 152 Calhoun street. 6-17

FOR SALE.—At 70 Harrison street, the Phaeton wagon, buggies, sleighs, harness, double and single bells, blank, saddle and bridle. Mrs. Dr. T. S. Virgil. 14-31

Herman Helmke,
DEALER IN
Boots, Shoes & Rubbers.
The public is cordially invited to call and examine my stock. Prices low and satisfaction guaranteed. No. 47 West Main Street, 19-100.

J. C. PELTIER,
Undertaker & Embalmer,
17 WEST WAYNE ST.,
Telephone No. 174 - Fort Wayne, Ind.

SUPERB SEAL SKINS
ON YOUR OWN TERMS
If you would like to own an elegant SEAL SKIN SACK, JACKET or NEW MARK, but are not prepared to pay for it promptly, it will be to your interest to communicate with us without delay.
We are the largest American Importers and Manufacturers of Alaska Seal Skins, and the backward winter has left us with an enormous stock which we must reduce.
Send your address for our new list of genuine seal skins, which will explain how you can secure a Seal Skin and hardly know when and how you pay for it.
A. E. BURKHARDT & CO.,
CINCINNATI.
GOLD MEDALS FOR SEAL SKINS & FURS at Cincinnati Centennial.
Feb 28-March 10-1900
The Oldest Firm and Most Reliable in the City,
Wing & Mahurin,
ARCHITECTS
27 Calhoun Street. Jan 29-6mo.

Fort Wayne Sentinel.

MONDAY, FEB. 18, 1896.

It is proposed to erect a new opera house at Muncie, three stories high, of carved stone. Muncie is one of the Hoosier boom towns.

The state supreme court has affirmed the case of the state against Sylvester Grubb, of Knox county. Grubb shot his sweetheart in cold blood at a fair, last summer, and he will hang for the crime.

A GREAT many mills will open, rusty wheels will turn and idle men find employment in Indiana when Senator Barrett's anti-trust bill becomes a law. New York has such a statute now and other states are joining the reform column. We want business on an honest basis.

SENATOR BARRETT said, yesterday, that he did not believe the published statement that the republicans intended to withdraw from the legislature next Saturday to break the quorum and defeat legislation. He contends that they like to quarrel too well to miss so good an opportunity.

It is regarded that the cabinet is now practically decided upon and that it will contain the names of Blaine, Windom, Busk, Thomas, Noble, Warner Miller, Estes and Wanmaker. There is still a disposition among some of them to put Foster's name in place of Wanmaker, but the weight of opinion is upon the side of the Pennsylvanian.

The policy holders, in Indiana, of the Connecticut Insurance company have determined to have an investigation of the books of the company at Hartford, and will send a committee of experts to make a rigid examination of the method of doing business and of the company's financial condition. This grows out of the defalcations of Moore, at Indianapolis.

The republicans of this city will no doubt profit by the experience of their political brethren at Rockport, this state. The prominent members of the party at that place held a meeting to decide who should be appointed postmaster. The meeting was attended by about thirty-five of the faithful who balloted on their own popularity. When the votes were counted it was found that every man had voted for himself.

CONGRESSMAN MATSON has been presented by his fellow members of the pensions committee with a costly clock and an elegant cigar case of solid silver, both valued at \$250. The token is in regard to the uniform courtesy and kindness shown by the colonel in dealing with his colleagues, both democrats and republicans. The presentation speech was made by Representative Gallinger, of New Hampshire.

THE name of Grover Cleveland is on the bulletin-board of the New York bar association as a candidate for membership. It was posted last Monday by Mr. Da Costa, of Seward, Da Costa & Guthrie, and was seconded by Wheeler H. Peckham. Under the usual rule Mr. Cleveland's name will remain on the board ten days. It will be considered in committee on the 32d inst., and if the committee's report is favorable the name will be voted on by the association on March 12th, when Mr. Cleveland will be a private citizen.

The fact that in some portions of the state the question of holding primaries to decide who shall be appointed postmasters, is not viewed with favor by the republican state officers or the state central committee. They allege that primaries will not decide the question before the president nor induce good will and harmony in the party. They neglect to mention the real sore spot and that is that an election by the people would defeat the Indianapolis ring politicians and result in the selection of competent men for postmasters.

JUDGE SOLOMON OLATPOOL, the acting district attorney for Indiana, now talks freely of the Dudley case and the partisan rulings of Judge Woods. He is very positive in his opinion that Woods was mistaken in his rulings on the question of advising bribery. To attempt to vote illegally or to bribe voters are both criminal offenses, he holds, and it is wholly untenable to maintain that advising bribery is less criminal. Judge Woods, however, had to do the bidding of the chiefs, for Colonel Dudley, when he boasted of having a package of dynamite to explode in the event of his indictment, simply meant that Mr. Quay and Mr. Michener, and possibly the president elect, knew of his tactics and endorsed them. He served notice on Mr. Quay that he would not suffer alone, so the Pennsylvania senator hurried to Indianapolis, interviewed General Harrison, who in turn saw Judge Woods and then followed the infamous Dudley white-wash.

THE number of muscels in an elephant's trunk, according to London medical authorities, is 33,123, and he has use for each and every one of them.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The House Alone Did Business Saturday Last—The Republican Scheme.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 18.—The bills that were engrossed were as follows: By Mr. Bigham, fixing the salaries of certain township and county officers; by Mr. Custer, authorizing the purchase of ten acres of land for the use of the insane hospital in Cass county; by Mr. Nolan, providing for the appointment of a humane inspector in cities of 25,000 and over; by Mr. Nolan, for the organization of an inter-state fair; by Mr. McGowney, appropriating money for the payment of the claim of the National Vulcanite company for paving Washington street in front of the state house; by Mr. Zosher, amending the law relating to the regulation of life insurance companies; by Mr. Heiny, amending section 2,002 of the revised statutes; by Mr. Langstaff, creating a lien for labor performed; by Mr. Curiis, concerning elections; by Mr. Harley, relating to trespassing animals and partition fences; by Mr. Custer, authorizing county commissioners to pay rewards for the apprehension or detection of any person guilty of felony; by Mr. Hughes, appropriating \$500 to Dye and Fishback; by Mr. White, concerning taxation; by Mr. Willard, declaring that twenty-five years shall constitute a life sentence; by Mr. Adams, of Morgan, concerning the duties of county clerks, and by Mr. Shambaugh relating to the institution for feeble minded children.

A bill by Mr. Foster to reduce the pay of county officers was the subject of the only interesting and spirited remarks during the morning. Mr. Foster charged that an unfavorable minority report on the bill had been presented by a gentleman who was known to be the tool of county officers. In making the charge he referred to Mr. Bigham, of Marion county, who denied that he was the tool of county officers and asserted that it was his belief that the bill was a bad one, and for that reason opposed its adoption. It was determined to defer action in the matter until Tuesday.

A Rumor About a Republican Scheme
A rumor is in circulation that the republican members of the house intend to resign on next Saturday to prevent the enactment of the pending political bills. It is calculated that more of them can be finally passed before the middle of next week, and as the governor is allowed three days for the consideration of a bill before determining whether or not he will sign it, the return of the vetoed measures to the legislature could be delayed until the end of the week, the time fixed for putting into execution the rumored scheme. The republicans, however, say that they know nothing of any such purpose. Representative Brownlee was asked by a reporter about the matter. "There is absolutely no truth in the report," he said. "I don't know but that I may have jokingly said something about such a matter, but there has been no serious thought of it. I am sure that I shall not resign myself, and I do not know that any member intends to do so. I shall remain here until the close of the session, doing the best I can, and on that record I am willing to go back to my constituents. I believe that it is the only course that it is advisable to pursue."

A Township Library Bill.
A bill has been introduced in both the senate and house, directing the county commissioners to levy and collect a tax of one-fifth of a mill on each dollar of property for the support of township libraries, which shall be kept open at least one day in each week. The purchase of new books from time to time is required.

A Bill Against Dishonest Banking.
The senate has engrossed Senator Smith's bill, which proposes to make it a criminal offense for any officer or agent of a bank to receive deposits of money or to draw a check, draft or bill of exchange when the bank is in failing circumstances, insolvent or in contemplation of insolvency.

Legislative Notes.
The senate has engrossed Senator Byrd's bill against "plunk-me" stores. Mr. Metzger has introduced a bill to create a state food and dairy commission.
The state board of charity bill, introduced by Mr. Curiis, was passed by the house Friday afternoon.
The senate was not in session Saturday. The prison committee left for Jeffersonville Friday evening, and, as the absence of the ten members of the committee would leave the senate without a quorum, it was determined to adjourn until Monday.

There are two forms of chronic rheumatism: one in which the joints are swollen and red without fever, and the appetite and digestion good, in the other the joints are neither red nor swollen, but only stiff and painful. In either form Salvation Oil may be relied on to effect a cure. It kills pain. Price 25 cents a bottle.

It is reported that 100 of the leading business men of Denver, Colo., will attend the inauguration at Washington dressed as cowboys.

CHRISTIAN WORKERS.

Mr. D. W. Souder at the City Y. M. C. A.—Dr. Stemen at the Rail Road Department.

Mr. D. W. Souder, the deputy county clerk, led the services yesterday afternoon at the city department of the Young Men's Christian Association. He took as the foundation for his remarks, in opening the meeting, the scriptural passage, "Prepare to meet thy God," and made a grand plea for the christian religion. The tender thread of life, he said, may be broken at any moment, for death stares us in the face every day. To many the summons may not come for years, but others may be called into eternity ere the year ends, or the week closes, possibly with the morrow's dawn. This being the case it should be a terrible warning to us that we should prepare for that death which is certain to come sooner or later.

The religion of Christ, he said, would rob death of its terrors and make life happy and with it we would be prepared to meet our God when the final day came. The speaker narrated, in an affecting way, from his own experience, the last hours of a wicked man and a Christian woman, contrasting the terror stricken soul of the one with the peace and happiness of the other as they passed to their eternal rewards, and closed with an eloquent plea to his hearers to lead Christian, Godly lives. It was an earnest, practical discourse, and his words fell with good results upon the minds of the young men present.

The services at the railroad department, the hour previous, were led by Dr. C. B. Stemen, the surgeon of the Pennsylvania company. Dr. Stemen is an earnest Christian and is always an interesting talker, and his remarks yesterday were eloquent and forcible, urging, as he did, the necessity of earnest Christian work. He was followed by several in the audience with short remarks and the meeting proved one of the most interesting held in the rooms for some time.

AMUSEMENTS.

"Jim, the Penman," at the Temple.

From Maine to California, Canada to the Gulf, the name of A. M. Palmer, of the Madison Square and Palmer's theatre, (late Wallack's), New York, is known to the amusement loving public. It is a trade mark of the highest theatrical productions. We know beforehand whether we are north, south, east or west, that any representation given under his name is sure to be of the best. Mr. Palmer, has, perhaps, achieved more success than any purveyor of amusement of the country. This is not mere chance, but the result of good judgment, quickness of perception, and an insight into and knowledge of human nature. This much is known of the man by his work and its results.

The engagement of Mr. Palmer's company in "Jim, the Penman," occurs to-night at the Temple, and a brilliant audience is expected. The role of James Ralston, the false hearted hypocrite, wealthy financier and clever forger, will be portrayed by the eminent actor, Mr. F. C. Bangs. Other members of the company are equally as strong.

SCROFULA

Is that impurity of the blood which produces unsightly lumps or swellings in the neck; which causes running sores on the arms, legs, or feet; which develops ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; which is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or "humors," which, fastening upon the lungs, causes consumption and death. It is the most ancient of all diseases, and very few persons are entirely free from it.

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"What did he give?"
"A pretty card."
"Card? You call that a Christmas present? The mean old hunk!"
"No, I call it a surprise, just as I said. The surprise ain't in the gift; it's in the fact that he gave us anything!"
—*Chicagoan Leader*

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There is nothing in the world more generally desired than long life, yet the majority of people put off caring for their health—not because they are really careless, but because we live our lives at such a pace we have not time to give the subject sufficient thought until we receive a reminder in the shape of a severe illness.

Then, too, we are constantly bewildered by the various schools of medicine, and the physicians who represent them, and often blunder in our choice of a doctor.

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Fort Wayne Sentinel.

MONDAY, FEB. 18, 1908.

"MAKING UP" FOR THE STAGE.

Representing Various Facial Expressions
Requires Great Skill and Study.

Through the "make-up" we give our faces the appearance of age and youth, of health and sickness, of race and blood, writes an actor in *Duke's Magazine*. To be natural is necessary to follow the suggestions given without taking further thought; to be accurate demands study and hard work. In doing this kind of work the actor sits before a mirror, and uses his face in it as a canvas upon the easel. And here good work tells. The audience who sit delighted with some charming pieces of art seldom realize the study and labor which the actor has expended upon the part.

It should be remembered that in making up the ideas of the actor is to produce a symmetric whole. He or she who confines the change to paint and a wig has not yet learned the A B C of the profession. Thus, in representing an old man, the hair and beard are easily taken care of. The whitish but varicose complexion of old age presents no greater obstacles. The wrinkles and folds of the skin increase the difficulty, but can be handled without too much trouble. All this far has been done with pigments. In treating the teeth all sorts of expedients are employed. The way adopted by many comedians is to cover them with black silk.

This throws the uncovered ivories into bold relief, and gives an effect that is extremely ludicrous. Wax, black, and green is used for the same purpose. The most curious thing in this line I ever heard of was a conscientious French player, who presented "old man" parts, and who, to be accurate, had all his teeth extracted and a dozen sets of false ones made by some clever dentist, imitating what nature produces in the various stages of old age. I would hardly recommend this to the profession as a good precedent, however, though the hero of the action certainly deserves special mention and praise for his fidelity to art.

As to the effect of "make-up"—that is, of paints—upon the health, a word may be of both interest and use. The opinion that they are very deleterious is just about as unintelligent and false as the opposite, which proclaims them innocuous. Any cosmetic is injurious to the complexion. The mere mechanical action toughens the skin and enlarges the pores. I question if there is a professional of five years' experience whose epidermis has not assumed a tint and hardness inconsistent with the highest beauty. But this is the limit of the injury as far as the vast majority of stage pigments are concerned. On the other hand, the perspiration induced by excitement, hard work, and it may be, heated dressing rooms and the repeated washings and scrubbing to which the face is forever subjected, keep the skin in excellent condition and prevent the eruptions and blemishes so common to the outside world. In many cases when actors are naturally careless of their appearance and neglectful, "make-up" is a blessing, and bestows upon them a healthier and handsomer complexion than they would otherwise have.

AMUSING INDIAN FABLES.
The Indians of North America had a large stock of stories resembling the fables of Aesop. They are stories of animals, and many of them are in form as if first told by animals, not unlike that of the Georgia negro stories popularized by Uncle Remus. Mr. Gordon reports the following from New Brunswick:

The clumsy butt of all the other animals was always Muween, the bear, and the cleverest were the panther, Shoks, and the fisher-marten, Pekquan, but these had not the same rank with the tortoise, who, to my surprise, was considered the great lord and chief among the beasts, although his awkwardness and helplessness led him into many and unpleasant and ludicrous positions.

There was one very comical story of his going out hunting, drawn on a sled or toboggan by two moose. Of course he met with many misadventures. The boughs swept him off his sled without its being perceived by his steeds; he got entangled in creepers, and finally his team became so tired of their load that they made a hole for him in the ice, and left him there. But, by dint of subtlety, he shot the moose of which they were in search, whilst his companions returned empty-handed. On another occasion he fell into the hands of enemies, and escaped from them only by a series of clever stratagems.—*Youth's Companion*.

An eagle sailing half a mile above the earth can see a field-mouse, but while that is pretty good it is beaten by a chap in this town who can see his tailor a mile away on a cloudy day.—*Detroit Free Press*.

Dudes with black hair are now trying to bleach it. They want their capillary attractions to be as light as their heads.—*Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph*.

BERNIE WILKINS' BOOK AT FORT WAYNE.

"Mr. Congressman Beriah Wilkins," said a well-known patron of the national game of cards, "is the best poker player in the whole world. I have sat at the table with Schenck, Fernando Wood, James Brooks, Gen. Ingalls, Charles B. Farwell, Tom Bowen, and other famous players, but I never in my life saw a man who holds such hands as Wilkins, and everybody who plays with him will tell you the same thing. He is a veritable phenomenon for luck. It doesn't make a speck of difference who deals, he gets them all the same; and it is a regular thing with him; too, it is not all luck by any means. Wilkins finds it hard to get into a game now-a-days, for his luck is so well known that his friends won't play with him, except in a social game with a small limit. The other night a party of us were just sitting down at the club when Wilkins came in, and he begged like a little child until we took him into the game. We played all the evening, and Wilkins came out \$50 behind. As we were putting on our coats I said to him:

"Beriah, have you been playing an honest game, to-night, or have you just been making an investment?"

"What do you mean?" he asked in the most innocent manner.

"I mean this," said I: "You know the reason people don't like to have you in the game is that you have the most condemned luck in holding cards of any man that ever breathed. Now, I strongly suspect that you have thrown in this \$50 to-night as a bait to humbug us into thinking that as you have lost for once in your life your luck has deserted you, and that you will get another chance, when you expect to play your regular hand to clean us out."

"That's an infamous suggestion," said Beriah, and just the smallest trace of a smile played around his lips for half a second, which was evidence that I sized up his little scheme."

Ho TA LAO-HU, the most prominent brigand in China, has been captured and killed. He was a giant, being seven feet two inches in height, and broad in proportion. He had been concerned in a great many robberies and a large number of murders.

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Succi, the Italian faster, has just completed a thirty-day starving trial at Barcelona, Spain, during which he walked, talked and fended with the vigor of a full-fed man. Mr. Succi's only nourishment was an elixir which he claims renders food unnecessary.

It is not always convenient to call a physician for every little ailment, and in many cases it is not only inconvenient, but impossible to reach one promptly. Having Pond's Extract in the house, you have a physician always at hand. It is easy of application, safe and reliable. For Sore Throat, Stiff Neck, Chapped Hands and face, it is of inestimable value. Frosted Limbs and Chills are promptly relieved by Pond's Extract. For sale everywhere. Be sure to get the genuine.

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Excursion Arrangements via the Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets to Washington, D. C., for the inauguration will be sold from all ticket stations on the Pennsylvania lines, on February 26 to March 3, and they will be good for return passage by trains leaving Washington later than March 8. The round trip fare from Fort Wayne will be \$15. Special trains will be run to Washington to accommodate the tide of inauguration travel, and special coaches and Pullman cars will be attached to regular trains. For complete information apply to the nearest passenger or ticket agent of the Pennsylvania lines.

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It took James Bailey, an Iowa man, over eighty-three days to get the last of the tar off of him after receiving a coat of tar and feathers, but in his case it was well rubbed in, for having married his second wife two days after the death of the first.

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A CASHMERE HOUSE.

There are two large posts in front, eighty feet high, on which rests the large peaked shade, around which there hangs a graceful fringe of young sage leaf. The front is about thirty feet wide, and the whole length of the house is 160 feet, tapering gradually down to the back, where it is small. Our compartment is about twenty feet high and ten feet broad. The front is common platform, floored with the outer skin of the sage palm, and kept beautifully clean. The whole is divided into courts, with divisions of cocoanut leaves, nine feet high, on which hang various figures not at all good-looking. From the top of the cocoanut leaves hang graceful curtains of the young frond of the sage palm. Standing on the platform in front and looking down the whole length along the passage or hall, with the various divisions and their curtains, it has a wonderful effect. In each of the courts are numerous skulls of men, women, and children, crocodiles, and bears; also many breasts of the caesowary. All are carved and many painted. The human skulls are of those who have been killed and eaten. The daintiest dish here is man, says the *Truth Seeker*, and it is considered that only fools refuse and despise it. In the last court there are the same kinds of ornaments, and then a screen with curiously formed things of wood and native cloth hangings on it, also, sibs (their only clothing), belts, small bags, and other things belonging to those murdered, which have been presented to the gods.

The milkman never seems to tire of well-doing.—*Yonker's Statesman*.

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Fort Wayne Sentinel.

MONDAY, FEB. 18, 1899.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. H. K. Parry spent the Sabbath at Huntington.

Mr. John H. Welch, the slate roofer, was at Huntington Saturday.

Thousands of people visited the ruins of the great Fox fire yesterday.

Mr. Dan Haus was at Angola all of last week on business for his firm.

Mrs. Herbert Kenower, of Huntington, is in the city, visiting friends.

Mr. Chas. A. Bird and H. Winfield, Detroit, and J. A. Demina, Toledo, are at the Rich.

Mr. Fred Holman, the South Calhoun street druggist, is ill with inflammatory rheumatism.

Judge Ames, of Shelbyville, Ill., is visiting his brother Milo Ames, of 75 West Williams street.

Mr. T. W. Blair is traveling in the interest of the National Union. He is a member of the Supreme lodge.

Miss Mattie Smith, of Warsaw, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Lydia Bosker, of Brackenridge street, for a few weeks.

The Grace Reformed church is arranging for a fair to be given the first week in March. It will probably be at the Academy.

Prof. Henry W. Diederich has leased to Stewart & Hahn, of the Boston dry goods store, his handsome business room at 28 Calhoun street.

The state supreme court has denied the petition for a rehearing in the case of B. F. Goodrich Co. vs. J. O. Keller, certified up from this county.

Rev. J. H. Slade, formerly pastor of the Christian church, occupied the pulpit at the Berry street church last evening and preached an interesting sermon.

Mr. Joseph T. Baker and Miss Caroline Beck were married Saturday evening at the pastor's residence by Rev. M. C. Cooper, the pastor of the St. Paul M. E. church. Only a few relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony.

Mrs. Wm. White, mother of Mr. E. B. and William White, jr., machinists of the Pennsylvania company, is visiting at the home of Mr. E. B. White, 89 East Lewis street. Her home is at Wabash, Ind., and this is her first visit to Fort Wayne.

The diocesan report of the Catholic orphan asylums, published in THE SENTINEL Saturday, was read from the Catholic pulpits yesterday. It is a magnificent evidence of Catholic charity, directed, too, without regard to race color or creed.

The Logansport Phoenix says: "Judge Winfield has granted a temporary restraining order in the case of Mary Hamilton Williams, of Fort Wayne, against the Logansport Natural Gas company. The case will be called up in the circuit court next Monday morning."

Dr. White Cloud made a failure of his second visit to Kokomo. It is not denied, however, that "Tah-wah" is a beverage greatly used by citizens of Kokomo, but the suggestion is given out that it is not of the White Cloud brand, and is mixed with lemon and sugar.

Mr. Fred Ritter, a cigarmaker, who came to this city recently, died at the St. Joe hospital Saturday of consumption. The funeral took place this morning, and was under the direction of the International Cigarmakers' Union, No. 37, of which organization he was a member.

Will Eckert, son of John C. Eckert, arrived home from Duluth Saturday evening. He is a helpless sufferer with inflammatory rheumatism and had to be conveyed in a carriage to his home on Williams street. Mr. Eckert has been looking after his father's interests at Duluth.

The sale of seats for the City band concert has been large, and a full house as usual is assured. The attractions this year are unusually fine, including Fred Austin, the famous cornet soloist of Gilmore's band, Wm. Moebius, a violinist of a national reputation, late of Berlin, the Euphonio Double Quartette, Reineke's orchestra and the always popular City band. The program will be a varied one and is bound to please everybody. The First Regiment band was out with them.

The compilers of the "History of the Upper Maumee Valley" have already made considerable progress in the collection of material for the work. The publishers, Messrs. Brant & Fuller, have certainly shown excellent judgment in the selection of their local writers. Conspicuous among those who have agreed to assist in the compilation are Col. E. S. Robertson, Judge Allen Zolara, Hon. F. P. Randall, Father Lang, Dr. Benj. S. Woodworth, Prof. H. W. Diederich and Dr. Jno. S. Irwin. With such an able and conscientious corps of writers the historical field, which is unusually rich, will certainly be carefully scanned, and accuracy may be expected.

Mr. L. B. Root went to Terre Haute to-day.

The "Queen's Mate" carry a chorus of seventy voices.

"Natural Gas" burns brightly at the Temple Friday next.

Joseph T. Baker and Caroline Beck have been licensed to wed.

Mr. C. T. Melzheimer, of Bluffton, is in the city to-day, on business.

Mrs. Mason Long left for Portland, Oregon, to-day to join her husband.

Jim Sheridan, the ex-policeman, is now writing political squibs for the Gazette.

Mr. W. H. Brady, of Root & Co., has entirely recovered from his prolonged illness.

Society Indians florists meet in annual convention at Indianapolis Friday and Saturday next.

John E. McKendry sues Cyrene Warner et al. on a note to recover \$300. C. L. Medaker is attorney.

Mr. J. W. Palmer, of Maxenkuckee, is the guest of his brother in law, Mr. Geo. Loesch, the druggist.

The sale of seats for "Queen's Mate" opens Wednesday next. The prices are 25, 50, 75 cents, \$1 and \$1.50.

At church-going time, last evening, there was not an electric light shining in the city and it was in total darkness.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Dwenger leaves this evening for Washington, D. C., to attend the centenary celebration, next Wednesday, of Georgetown university.

Indiana soldiers favoring service pension will hold convention at Indianapolis March 12. County meetings, to select delegates, are advised to be held March 2.

Lillian, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Rogers, of 12 Oliver street, died Saturday evening of inflammation of the bowels. The funeral occurred this afternoon.

Frank Connelly, Ben Woods and Wm. Rader were the names given by three young men arrested for creating a disturbance at Mat Clark's house of ill-fame, on the north side. They were all fined.

Mr. Peter J. Mettler, a prominent insurance man of Toledo, Ohio, is in the city. He came here to greet his cousin, Mr. Nicholas Brown, who has just been ordained to the priesthood, and heard him sing his first mass yesterday.

The revival meetings began at the Christian church, corner Griffith and Jefferson streets, last night, with a very large and highly interested audience. The black board diagram, representing heaven, the world, the church and hell, will be on to-night. Subject, to-night: "Church Founding." Come out and listen.

The congregations at the Wayne street M. E. church yesterday, were fairly large and an excellent spirit of devotion was manifested. At the morning service ten persons united with the church. In the Sabbath school a large number arose for prayers and all felt that the Holy Spirit was present to seal upon the heart the truth.

The services held yesterday afternoon at the rooms of the Women's Christian Temperance Union by the Soldiers of Honor and members of the Loyal Legion, two flourishing temperance organizations, were interesting. Miss Carrie B. Schrader presented an attractive and instructive blackboard lesson, and Miss Ella Willard gave an interesting temperance lesson.

Chester Greer, brother of Deputy County Treasurer Tom Greer, was tendered a surprise party at the home of his father, in Pleasant township, Saturday night. Mr. Greer went to Five Points in the evening and, returning home later, found a merry party to greet him. The surprise was complete and the occasion exceedingly pleasant, as it always is at the Greer home.

Mr. D. F. Bower, a traveling salesman for a Pittsburg glass factory, whose home is in Reading, Pa., spent Sunday in the city. He is an elder in the Presbyterian church, in that city, of which Rev. J. L. Leeper, of the Second church, in this city, used to have the pastoral charge. He is a very devout Christian gentleman and attended his former and much beloved pastor's house of worship here yesterday morning, when he heard that distinguished and eloquent young disciple on Christ deliver an able discourse of the topic: "Fruit Bearing." At the Sabbath school Mr. Bower ably instructed the Bible class.

Rev. Nicholas Brown, of this city, who was ordained to the priesthood at Nashville, Tenn., last week, sang his first mass yesterday morning, at the St. Mary's Catholic church. He is a brilliant young man and will make his mark in the church to which he has consecrated his life. He will leave this week for Nashville, Tenn., where he enters his clerical work with Bishop Radmacher. In the evening a reception was tendered Rev. Brown by the families of his parents—the Browns and the Mettlers, and some 200 guests were present to congratulate the young priest. A magnificent supper was spread and the occasion was an enjoyable one. Some seventy members of his parents' families were present.

Mr. O. N. Heaton, the attorney, is at Chicago.

Sheriff Viberg sent Charles Lyman to the state insane asylum this morning.

Mr. Geo. D. Oraine left for Noblesville this afternoon, on legal business.

City Attorney and Mrs. Henry Colerick came home from New York City Saturday last.

Miss Minna Rosenthal, daughter of Dr. Rosenthal, will leave to-morrow for a visit at Chicago.

The Jefferson Building and Loan association will meet to-morrow night to receive first payments.

Henry Bulow, Adam Jones and John Smith were fined for drunkenness by the mayor this morning.

Representative Shambaugh has introduced eight bills in the house, Mr. Oppenheim five and Mr. Gladie one.

Six new members were received into the Catholic Knights yesterday. The organization is growing admirably.

A woodshed belonging to John Braha, at the corner of Harrison and Highland streets, was burned down yesterday morning.

The New York Clipper says that Carrie Hill Carlisle, of this city, has ordered the release of her divorced husband, McNair, who promised to support her.

Mr. Michael Baltes entertained his friends at his hospitable home in an exceedingly pleasant way, Saturday evening. The occasion was his birthday anniversary.

Joe White, the famous boot-black, left for Chicago this afternoon, to visit relatives. He wishes his friends to understand that he has no matrimonial intent, whatever.

John Krock, of the Eighth ward, who has been doing considerable building on the farm of Hon. J. K. Edgerton, down at Edgerton on the Nickel Plate, spent Sunday with his family.

Mr. John Lillie has sold his lime kilns at Huntington, but has a contract to have his lime shipped from that point. He still holds his stone quarries at Wabash and simply sold his Huntington property to bring his business under his control.

Herman Wilke had a narrow escape from death this morning, while walking along the Muncie track, in this city. The blinding snow prevented him from seeing an approaching switch engine and he was struck by it and knocked down. The engine was moving slowly and he escaped serious injury.

The Indianapolis Sentinel publishes a call for a state meeting to organize a tariff reform league March 14. The call has signers in all the cities of the state. Fort Wayne is represented by W. H. Shambaugh, R. C. Bell, Christian Boesker, W. S. Oppenheim, S. M. Foster and Charles McCulloch.

The county commissioners Saturday afternoon awarded the contract for the stone foundation for the proposed new bridge on East Main or Columbia streets to Smith Busell, a contractor from Greensburg, Ind. They will meet to-morrow to further consider the proposals for the iron work or super-structure.

Judge O'Rourke this morning decreed to Martha E. Humphrey et al. a judgment for \$508.37 against John Humphrey et al. He divorced Hannah Vogel from Jacob Vogel and gave her the custody of their child for two years. A new trial was granted in the case of Glutting & Bauer against Elizabeth Barnett and the damage suit of Mary DeWald against the Bass foundry and machine works was postponed until March 2.

FIRE REMOVED.

Mr. Fox Will Leave a Clean \$30,000.—Skilton, Watt & Wilt's Loss.

The fire department had to come out a half dozen times since Friday night to subdue the recurring fires at the Fox building. There was so much coal and stuff in the basement that it could not be smothered, and as late as this afternoon it blazed up.

Mr. Louis Fox had his fire proof vault opened this morning, and found the safe, books and papers as snug as they were when he looked up Friday night.

The firm is already doing business on East Columbia street, and, in fact, they are supplying orders as though nothing happened, with all the salesmen out on the road.

They found their insurance on the building and stock was only \$22,500, so that they will suffer a clean loss \$80,000.

Mr. Watt, of the firm of Skilton, Watt & Wilt, said this morning that they had an insurance of \$18,000, and had papers to show it, bearing THE SENTINEL out as correct. They have telegraphed for a complete stock of goods, and will have everything in line to send their salesmen out next Monday.

For five days only—Underwear and hosiery at cost. SAM, PETE & MAX. 15-54

Mrs. Hamilton, 14 West Berry street, is desirous of raising a class of twenty-five pupils for teaching cutting, fitting and general dressmaking. Ladies should apply before Feb. 25. Terms will be given on application. Call morning or evening. 10-44

THE NEWS AT THE DEPOTS

And Around the Busy Centers of the City as Gathered by the Sentinel Reporter.

The Wabash pay car will be in the city next Saturday.

No. 5 on the Pittsburg was four hours late yesterday.

The Wabash shops are building two passenger and two freight locomotives.

Superintendent Worthington, of the Muncie, went east this morning, on the Wabash.

Adam Bucher and John Peigen have resigned their positions as firemen on the Nickel Plate.

The snow storm this morning interfered but little with the running of trains on railroads.

Henry Eix, of the Bass blacksmith shops, who had his eye injured a few days ago, has returned to work.

Engineers Dan McFee and James Hardigan, of the Nickel Plate, have been on the sick list for the last few days.

The snow brigade was out in full force, this morning, at the depots, cleaning "the beautiful" from the tracks.

The big hammer at the Bass blacksmith shops, was idle this morning, on account of some repairs about the furnace.

A number of sleeping berths for the Pittsburg limited going east to-night had already been sold at an early hour this morning.

Foreman McKinnie, of the Pennsylvania company's line repairers, has gone east to join his wife, who has been visiting there for several weeks.

The moulding rooms at the Bass works were shut down to-day on account of the non-arrival of iron, and all the employees had a day off to commence the week.

The Old Fort Wayne pulley manufacturing company have received an order from San Francisco, Cal., for 320 pulleys. This is the largest order the firm has ever received.

The Pennsylvania railroad company has taken out a charter for a new line in New Jersey that will shorten the route between Philadelphia and New York. It is to be used only for through freights.

William Wurtle, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shops, celebrated the anniversary of his birth Saturday and in the evening he was serenaded by Barner's orchestra. The boys made him a handsome present.

Edward Pauley, formerly of the Pennsylvania company, had his foot cut off some time ago by a railroad accident at Chicago, and his father, Thomas Pauley, is now raising money to purchase an artificial foot for him by lotterizing off a cow.

Frank Witte, the gate keeper at the Pittsburg shops, is lotterizing off a set of carpenter tools and some musical instruments, and as Frank is a deserving employee, having lost an arm in the service of the company, his tickets are meeting with a ready sale.

The Pennsylvania company has abandoned the padlock for locking freight cars, fastening them with a seal, which is just as secure as a padlock, one being as easily broken by a car robber as the other. By law it is a serious offense for any person to break or tamper with these seals.

A wreck occurred on the Pittsburg road at Adams station, Saturday evening, by train No. 11 running into a freight train on the Richmond road, as it was pulling over the Pittsburg track to go south. Three cars of the Richmond freight train were badly smashed in and the Pittsburg locomotive was derailed. No person was injured, but the tracks were blocked for several hours.

It is understood that Vice President and General Manager McCrea, of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg, will this week issue an order similar to that issued on the Pennsylvania lines east of Pittsburg, that no freight trains will be run Sunday except those carrying perishable goods and live stock.

Such a movement on the part of this important railroad system will lead to other roads taking similar action.

Mr. W. D. Miller, foreman of the Nickel Plate round house, has been called east by the death of his father, whose funeral occurs to-morrow.

For five days only—Overcoats at actual cost. SAM, PETE & MAX. 15-54

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THURSDAY, FEB. 21st,

—AT—

10 O'CLOCK P.M.

—AT—

135 Calhoun Street,

Near Fox's Cracker Factory, Ft. Wayne.

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Direct from the Renowned Misfit Clothing Parlors of 121 Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois.

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They are such goods as were mislaid or uncalled for by the parties who ordered them and left on the tailors' hands. We have agents in all the principal cities in the United States, who buy up these goods at such prices that enable us to sell them at one half the original ordered prices. This gives the purchaser a chance to buy Genuine Tailor Made Clothing at as low and less price as you would have to pay for ready made or shop made goods. We bring here a fine line of these goods, which consists of the most stylish made in Single and Double Breasted Suits, Three and Four Button Cutaway, Fine Prince Alberts. Also fine Dress Suits for weddings or parties. Also a fine line of heavy overcoats, which we are determined to sell, even at a loss. We have also a few choice Spring Overcoats. We name a few of the leading prices by which you may be governed:

Suits.	
\$25 Custom-Made Suits for.....	\$12
\$30 Custom-Made Suits for.....	15
\$40 Custom-Made Suits for.....	20
\$50 Custom-Made Suits for.....	25
\$60 Custom-Made Suits for.....	30
\$70 Custom-Made Suits for.....	35
OVERCOATS.	
\$25 Custom-Made Overcoats for.....	\$10
\$30 Custom-Made Overcoats for.....	12
\$40 Custom-Made Overcoats for.....	15
\$50 Custom-Made Overcoats for.....	20
\$60 Custom-Made Overcoats for.....	25
\$70 Custom-Made Overcoats for.....	30

A nobby and complete line of Pantaloon from \$3.50 to \$6.00, which were made to order for double the money.

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teens and Ginghams. New Em-
broideries and White Goods.

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REAL ESTATE.
New map made according to the
last survey.

Frank D. Pauls has sold to August
A. Bepler, lot 5, Fairfield's addition,
for \$2,000.

Robert L. Boney to Richard C. Boney,
lots 2 and 3, East & Hough's addition,
for \$1,000.

Levi M. Jones to Elizabeth Vaughn,
lot 21, L. M. Jones' sub-division, for
\$700.

James O. Wilcox to Edward Noble,
lot 57, Little's addition, for \$300.

George Mota, executor, to Jacob and
Caroline Butz, lot 1, Hanna's addition,
for \$1,200.

The Weather.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Indiana—
Clearing, except continued light snow
along the lakes; colder; northwesterly
wind.

For five days only—Fur caps and
phish caps at cost.
15-16 Sam, Pate & Mat.

Another Reduction of 1-10c Found on
sugar.

Choice Yellow New Orleans Sugar,
54c.
Choice Extra C Sugar, 54c.
Standard C Sugar, 54c.
Granulated Sugar, 54c.

FRUIT HOUSE.
Notice.

I will offer for sale, to-morrow morn-
ing, at 10 o'clock, at public auction, at
the Old Postoffice building, one safe,
four stoves and pipe, desks, pigeonholes
and fixtures belonging to the same.

WM. KATON,
Postmaster.

WAGNER'S
Drug Store
H. G. Somers, Proprietor.

Drugs, Chemicals, Paints,
Varnishes, Oils, Glues,
Toilet Articles,
Wines and Liquors, Etc.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGS.
35 Calhoun Street.

A. F. GESSLER,
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FRESH, SALT

AND—
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60 East Main Street.

He has just placed new machinery in
his establishment and is now prepared
to make the finest sausages in the mar-
ket. Dressed Poultry and Home-made
lard for sale.

Fresh Oysters,
Fish, Poultry
And all kinds of Game in Season at
NISWONDER & FOX,
171 West Berry Street. (Feb-30-89)

HORRIBLE HOLOCAUST.

An Explosion Wrecks a Big Hotel at
Hartford, Conn., and Scores
of People are Buried
in the Ruins.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 18.—The
shock of a tremendous explosion
awoke the residents for blocks around
the corner of High and Allen streets, at
about 5 o'clock this morning. On that
corner stood the Park Central hotel, a
five story brick structure of about thirty
feet front and 100 feet deep.

The first to arrive on the scene found
this building a heap of ruins, from
which issued smoke and steam in dense
clouds and the spectators were appalled
by the shrieks and groans of many hu-
man beings, who were imprisoned in the
mass of timber and masonry, from
which flames were already bursting.

A general alarm immediately sum-
moned the entire fire department, and
an immense crowd, attracted by the ex-
plosion, and the fire alarm, soon packed
the streets in the vicinity. At first the
fire and smoke entirely prevented any
rescue of the victims, and it was not
until a flood of water had been
poured upon the ruins that the work
could be prosecuted. A few dead or
dying persons were taken from the
edge of the debris, however, within
an hour after the explosion.

The force of the explosion threw a
bed with a sleeping woman upon it,
far into the street, while one of the
heavy doors of the house landed a block
away.

By 8 o'clock the flames were so far
subdued that the rescuers were enabled
to get some of the victims. Some were
trapped beneath heavy timbers, upon
which rested masses of masonry, ren-
dering the work of rescue extremely
hazardous.

The report that the members of the
"Hoodman Blind" theatrical company
were in the ruined hotel is incorrect.
Mr. E. P. Munroe, the business man-
ager, says none of the company ap-
peared at the hotel last night for accommo-
dation, but could not get them and went
elsewhere.

The house had accommodation for
about 100 guests and was a favorite over-
Sunday stopping place for commercial
travelers. An intending guest, who
applied for a room late Saturday evening,
was informed that they were full, so
it seems probable that at least eighty
persons were in the house at the time of
the explosion, of which perhaps twenty
escaped uninjured. These were mostly
employees, who occupied an annex, or
wing, of the house extending to the east
and which has not yet fallen, although
in a very shaky condition.

Among those known to be buried in
the ruins are the Rev. Dr. L. Perrin
and wife, of New Britain, and R. W. T.
Whitney, attorney of the Hartford Life
and Annuity Insurance companies, and
wife, and Wellington Ketchum, prop-
rietor of the hotel, wife and son.

About six persons have been
sent to the hospital. Owing to the
destruction of the register of the
hotel the names of many of the guests
cannot be ascertained.

The catastrophe is generally sup-
posed to have been caused by an ex-
plosion of the boiler, although some doubt
as expressed on this point, as the build-
ing had been popularly supposed to be
unsafe. It was built on "made" ground.

The street department and the rail-
road have furnished their forces of la-
borers with jacks, etc., and the work
of searching for bodies is now going
forward in a systematic manner.

FEARFUL SCENE.
It was a sight of horror, and one that
will never be forgotten by the specta-
tors. Flames completely enveloped the
ruins, and the shrieks of the wounded
and dying rose high above the hoarse
shouts of the firemen and the noise of
the engines, which had been summoned
by an alarm sent in from the depart-
ment.

The scenes about the ruins were hor-
rible. In the center of the spot where
the building stood were a man, his wife
and little daughter. No help could get
to them and they finally fell back into
the flames and died in plain sight of the
spectators. The little girl cried for help
but the woman and man uttered not a
word, but embraced in each other's
arms met death bravely.

Away out in the rear of the annex the
shrieks of a woman caused the blood of
the people looking on to turn cold as
they saw a young girl, lying with her
body half across a beam and with a look
of agony on her face. Finally the support
fell and she disappeared from sight.

The shock of the explosion blew away
every window in the south side of the
East house, which is just north of the
Park Central, into fragments.

Women, their faces blanched with
terror, and strong men, pale with fright,
rushed heading into the street in their
night clothes.

A DRUNKEN ENGINEER.
If, as it is generally believed, the dis-
aster was caused by the boiler, it was
probably caused by the night engineer
going away about midnight drunk, leav-
ing a heavy draught on the furnace, and
little water in the boiler. When the
day engineer came he probably turned
on the water and caused the explosion.

But he is dead and can give no evidence.
It is said the night engineer was of ir-
regular habits, and all sorts of rumors
are afloat.

REMOVING THE BODIES.
Up to 3 o'clock sixteen bodies have
been recovered from the ruins. Eight
dead and eight still alive. Mrs. Ketch-
um, wife of the proprietor, it is thought,
will not survive, as she is suffering from
a severe contusion of the spine.

PARTIAL LIST OF THE DEAD.
The transient guests who were killed
and are already identified, are as fol-
lows: J. M. Hasman, traveling agent
Rivers Babber Co., Boston, Brook-
lyn, N. Y.

George W. Root, a drummer for Wait,
Williams & Co., Boston.

A. T. Tullison, drummer for the
Merrill Chemical company, of Cincin-
nati.

Fannie Howe and Lizzie Gersle, two
young women from Springfield.

Mr. J. C. Hill, New York, traveling
salesman.

It is believed that Mrs. Wesson, of
Springfield, the widow of Frank Wes-
son, was in the hotel together with all
of her family, five children and probably
a servant or two.

Big Suit Backed.
New York, Feb. 18.—The suit of
George M. Rollins against the Chicago
refrigerating air company, which has
been on trial for ten days before Justice
Andrews and a jury in the supreme
court ended to-day, the jury giving a
verdict for the plaintiff of \$7,114.08.

THE RECEPTION AT THE NEW BUILDING
and its occupants.

The reception at the new federal
building, Saturday night, was a grand
success in spite of the rain storm.

Postmaster Kaugh did honors royal
and posted his men all through the
building to explain its features to the
visitors. Again he opened the doors to
visitors yesterday afternoon and the
magnificent edifice was thronged from
2 until 4 o'clock.

The postmaster and his assistants are
engaged in their apartments and all
are pleased that Admiral Drake. His
new letter rack has not come from Cin-
cinnati and he cannot be consoled.

Revenue Inspector Yergues, Stamp
Clerk Schroeder and Gunter Sweet took
possession of their quarters this morn-
ing and callers smoked with them.

STEEL SKELETON.
Albert Altrough, proprietor of the Chi-
cago restaurant, reports to the police
that \$210 was stolen from a trunk in his
room last night.

He suspects a servant and a burglar
of the theft.

WHEN IN THE
A Queer Advertisement From Fort
Wayne in the Clipper.

The following advertisement appears
in the New York Clipper from Fort
Wayne:

WANTED—Lady singers and dancers,
Wine lowest salary per week. I pay
board and transportation,
NEW TURNER,
27 Baker Street.

CANADA'S trade with England has
fallen off about \$4,000,000 during the
last ten months, while the aggregate
trade of the country has slightly in-
creased.

A BUYER of goods should remember
one thing when a merchant talks about
"letting him in on a ground floor price."
There is often one floor below the
ground floor, where the cellar comes in.
—Baker.

Excursion Route to Washington via
the Washburn Railway.

On the occasion of the inauguration
of President-elect Harrison, March 4,
1889, the Washburn railway will sell or-
dinary tickets from Fort Wayne at the
very low rate of one fare for the round
trip, or \$15.00. Tickets will be on sale
from February 26 to March 3, and will
be good for return passage up to and in-
cluding March 10. Further information
furnished upon application to
R. G. THORNTON,
18-104 Passenger and Ticket Agent,

TALKING OVER TAXES!

Senator Murray's Bill Aimed at Cap-
italists and Not Such the Build-
ing Associations No-
dore it.

At his law office yesterday after-
noon, Hon. J. M. Barrett, met the rep-
resentatives of the various building and
loan associations of the city.

There were present such men as F. D.
Casasave, F. Hettler, W. P. Breen,
Bernard Fitzpatrick, William D. Meyer,
Harney Scheumann, D. J. Shaw, J. B.
Monning, Otto Herist, C. J. Mott,
John H. Pranger, Theodore Gotsch and
other gentlemen equally as prominent.
Mr. Barrett read them his bill, and
stated just what it aimed at. He said
that on going to the state statistician he
found that in this state there are associa-
tions with an aggregate capital of \$30,-
000,000, and every cent of it escaped
taxation. These associations exist under
the law of 1885, and permit bankers,
capitalists and speculators to combine
for their own aggrandizement.

Mr. Casasave, Captain Hettler, Mr.
Breen, in fact every man present, just-
ified Mr. Barrett's purpose and agreed
that the law of 1885 was unwise and
wrong, and that it ought to be repealed
at once, and the law as it stood in 1881
ought to be re-enacted. The law of 1881
did not permit wealthy men to become
members for the purpose of loaning
their money and occupying taxation, as
does the law of 1885.

It is under the law of 1881 that the
Fort Wayne Building and Loan asso-
ciation operates, and this class of as-
sociations Mr. Barrett wishes to avoid
and encourage by making the fraudulent
associations pay their just burden.

This report of the committee, from the
pen of Captain Hettler, explains itself
admirably:

To the Officers and Members of the District
Building Associations of the City of Fort
Wayne:
GENTLEMEN—Your committee ap-
pointed by you to take in charge the
matter now pending in the legislature of
this state concerning the taxation of
building associations, respectfully beg
leave to report progress as follows:

The committee met Senator J. M.
Barrett at Indianapolis, and after con-
sultation the senator decided to meet
the committee and such others as the
committee might appoint for further
consultation on the question.

At the meeting on the 17th day of
February, 1889, the senator explained in
full the law governing the associations,
enacted in the year 1885, and showed
that the said law is so worded that it
can be abused so as to allow capital-
ists to invest their money in any sum
and thereby escape taxation.

Your committee, and all others pre-
sent, agreed with him, and pledged their
support to help him to suppress such
outrages, and it was decided, as asked
by the senator, to furnish him as early
as possible with an outline of sugges-
tions as to how the said law shall be
amended, and F. D. Casasave, W. P.
Breen and C. Hettler were appointed
to take the matter in charge.

After investigation the senator was
satisfied that none of the Fort Wayne
associations are actually acting, and
carrying on business as allowed by
the law of 1885, and notwithstanding this
law, and even a few being under the
same law, all are carrying on their busi-
ness according to the law of 1881 which
is a just law, and no fraud can be
practiced under it. After expressing his
satisfaction the senator explained his
proposed tax reform bill by which every
taxpayer would be enabled to deduct
his mortgage indebtedness from the
valuation of his real estate, and the
senator said further that unless the
above mentioned bill should fail to pass
nothing should be done with the build-
ing association tax bill, and if by amend-
ing the law of 1885 the desired remedy could
be reached, then nothing should be done
with the association tax bill now pend-
ing, and even should the general tax re-
form bill pass, your committee should
first be notified should anything more
be necessary.

Your committee, with others heretofore
undesignated, have reasons to believe
and to say to the different associations of
this state, as well as others in other cities
of this state, conducted in a like man-
ner, that they can safely carry on their
business the same as heretofore without
any damaging interruption from the
present legislature.

Thinking the senator for his courtesy
and the public in general for their sup-
port in upholding such noble institu-
tions as the Fort Wayne building as-
sociations, we respectfully submit this
report.

O. HETTLER, Chairman.
W. D. MEYER.
W. P. BREEN.
D. J. SHAW.
F. D. CASASAVE.
OTTO HERIST.
HARNEY SCHEUMANN.
B. FITZPATRICK.
O. E. BRADY.
C. B. HIGGINS.
H. ZUR MUEHLER.
GEORGE MOTT.

PIONEER GONE.

Alex. Stewart, John McCartyney,
Prof. John Weber and E. O.
Difenderfer Pass
Away.

The pioneers are leaving the land
that knows their greatness too soon, in-
deed.

Sunday evening occurred the death of
John J. Weber, principal of the East
German school, at his home, No. 344
East Washington street. Professor
Weber was sixty-three years old and was
forty-one years a teacher in this country
and Switzerland, his home. He former-
ly taught in St. John's reformed school
and was widely known and universally
regarded as an honorable man. A wife,
three daughters and a son survive him.

John McCartyney, father of ex-Sheriff
John McCartyney, died at his home at
Cedarville, yesterday, aged ninety-six
years. He has lived in this county over
half a century and his life old age at-
tests his faithful, exemplary life.

Alexander Stewart, formerly postmas-
ter at Leo, this county, and its principal
dry goods merchant, died last night,
aged eighty-seven years. He was an
honored citizen and one of the old set-
tlers of the county. Sheriff Vilberg tells
us that Rev. Mr. Rogers, of the Third
Presbyterian church, will go out to con-
duct the funeral.

Mr. E. O. Difenderfer, a citizen well
and widely known, died at his residence,
on West DeWald street, at half past
eight o'clock this morning. Mr. Difender-
fer was born in Lancaster, Pa., Sept.
6, 1830, and has lived a long, honorable
and useful life. The funeral occurs
Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Catherine E. Pegg, aged sixty-
eight years, died this morning at her
home, corner St. Mary's avenue and
Hoffman streets, of old age.

Mr. Wilhelmus Horstmeier, aged
eighty-seven years, died last night, at
his home, No. 6 Wall street, of old age.
The funeral will be held Wednesday.

She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Pieper-
brink, and three sons, Henry, Louis and
Chas. Horstmeier.

CHICAGO NEWS.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—In the senate
to-day Mr. Vest entered a motion to re-
consider the vote by which the confer-
ence report of the direct tax bill was
agreed to Saturday. This hangs the
bill up temporarily and may result in
its defeat.

State Hall Evacuated.
Chicago, Feb. 18.—Center-finder
Billy Landay appeared at Farewell last
night as an evangelist. His talk was
from the text, "Is the young man safe?"
and was the most successful of the year.
Many young men were converted.

CHICAGO MARKETS.
CLOSING PRICES—1:15 P. M.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Wheat: February,
\$1.06; March, 1.07; May, 1.09; June,
1.04. Oats: February, 35; March,
36; May, 37; June, 38. Corn:
February, 34; March, 34; May,
35; June, 36. Pork: Feb-
ruary, \$11.00; March, \$11.00; May,
\$11.17; June, \$11.27. Lard: Feb-
ruary, \$6.52; March, \$6.55; May,
\$6.50; June, \$6.70. Short ribs:
February, \$5.77; March, \$5.77; May,
\$5.92; June, \$6.00.

Mr. Ed L. Bean returned to Pitts-
burg this morning.

Mr. J. A. Byall, formerly of New
Waverly, Ind., has opened a new drug
store at 28 Oliver street, in this city.

A PRIZE of about \$2,500 has been
offered by the committee of the Caspian
fisheries, in Russia, for the discovery of
means for protecting fish against infec-
tion, and for treating persons suffering
from the use of poisonous fish. Investi-
gators have until January, 1893 to send
in their essays.

PRESIDENT LEIGHTON, of Haiti, is de-
scribed by a correspondent who recently
interviewed him as "black as the ace of
spades. He is a tall, slim-formed man
about 45 years old. His face is covered
with a heavy black beard and moustache.
His manners are those of a refined and
courteous gentleman. He was not
dressed in military uniform at the inter-
view, but wore a loose and ill-fitting
suit of black broadcloth. His whole
bearing was easy and distinguished."

Bond's mixed cow feed is boss. It in-
creases the flow of milk and gives the
cows a sleek glossy coat. Mill, 65 East
Columbia street. 18-21

Q. & O. ball to-morrow night. Tickets
50 cents.

Coffee Beans to be Found.
Best roasted Rio coffee, 24c pound.
All packages off 25c pound.
HARRY HOUSE.

COLLAPSE OF A BUILDING.

A Chicago Structure Falls to
Pieces, and Its Fourteen
Stories Are a Pile of
Wreckage.

Chicago, Feb. 18.—The Oving's block
one of the tallest office buildings in
America, collapsed yesterday and is now
in ruins. It was a beautiful gothic
structure, fourteen stories high, situated
at the corner of Dearborn and Adams
streets, just opposite the postoffice, in
the center of the business district. The
ten lower stories fell in, leaving the
walls and four upper floors and roof
standing in a decidedly shabby condi-
tion.

In the tenth story the tile flooring
was defective or was damaged by the
natural settling of the building. With-
out the slightest warning, the great
mass of tiles and girding forming the
injured floor crumbled to the story be-
low, carrying that with it, and the two
together, acting like a huge pile driver,
pounded a way for themselves to the
bottom. About a hundred and twenty-
five workmen have been steadily en-
gaged in the building, but it being Sun-
day less than a dozen were on hand.
All were in the basement, but escaped
uninjured by rushing out into the
streets immediately.

American Wheelmen.
New York, Feb. 18.—The National
League of American Wheelmen began
their annual session this morning at the
Grand Union hotel. Mr. Charles H.
Loomsbury, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was
elected president.

John L. Sullivan.
New York, Feb. 18.—John L. Sulli-
van arrived from Boston this morning.
He spent the day in visiting the sporting
resorts. He will remain here several
days.

Smith and Mitchell.
LONDON, Feb. 18.—Jern Smith and
Charles Mitchell have signed articles to
box ten rounds on April 1 for £200 a
side in a sixteen foot ring.

A Wealthy Chinese.
NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Baron Li-Yen-
Fang, who is said to be worth \$400,000,
and one of the richest men in
China, arrived in this city last night.

THE LATE MRS. MARY.
The funeral of the late Mrs. Mar-
garet Taylor—11 was large-
ly attended.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret S. Tay-
lor, the beloved and revered mother of
Judge R. S. Taylor, L. N. Taylor, S. R.
Taylor and Mrs. W. L. Hulse, of this
city, and Mrs. E. T. Hough, of Battle-
boro, Vt., and Mrs. Geo. H. Helm, of
Kansas City, occurred at 3 o'clock yester-
day afternoon from the Second Pres-
byterian church, where an able discourse
was preached and the last and rite
pronounced by the pastor, Rev. J. L.
Lester, assisted by Rev. Dr. Moffat, of
the First church. A large concourse of
friends attended the church service.

The music for the solemn occasion was
by the Hayden quartet, with Prof. Meyer
at the organ. The interment was at
Havenwood.

The deceased was born in Orange
county, New York, February 14, 1818.
Her maiden name was Stewart. At the
age of nineteen she was married to
Isaac N. Taylor, a Presbyterian minis-
ter, a young man then located near
Chillicothe, Ohio. They afterwards lo-
cated in this state. Mrs. Taylor was a
very delicate lady and during life was
afflicted with sickness and suffered much,
all of which she bore with true Chris-
tian fortitude and uncomplainingly. Of
her it could truly be said: "Whom the
Lord loveth He chasteneth." For years
she had been suffering from an incur-
able disease, which caused her great pain
and was the result of her death. She
died on the seventy-first anniversary of
her birth. Being a devout Christian
lady she was beloved by all who came in
contact with her and she will be missed
and mourned by a large circle of rela-
tives and friends.

The following gentlemen acted as
pall bearers: L. M. Nindo, S. B. Bond,
J. A. Burrows, F. W. Antrup, J. O.
Wilson and G. E. Burley.

New and Fresh Cakes at Harcus',
36 Calhoun Street.

Yale marshmallows, orange, vanilla
and chocolate flavors; tubs gum
pastilles, Oxford jelly gum drops, Yale
chocolate creams, assorted flavors, and
a fine line of home-made candies, nut
candy, caramels, butter cups, chips, &c.

Go to the dance to-morrow night, at
Arion hall.

WANTED.—A good girl at No. 111
West Main Street. Best wages paid.

Telephone 54

TRADE - CURRENTS!

Like the winds, sometimes all move in one direction. The present current is in the line of

Dress Fabrics. Satteens

Are receiving their share of attention. An excellent fabric, and of stylish patterns in latest colorings, at 9 cents a yard, and then rise in the scale to 35 and 50 cents a yard and see the finest fabrics and unsurpassed color paintings. Our assortment in these is most likely larger than those of any other three houses.

Another attractive exhibit is a "Gazette Lustrine," pure Mohair wool fillings, a very desirable fabric for street wear, cheap at 60 cents a yard.

FRENCH CHALLIES

Are shown this week, sheer, gossamer like cloths, with exquisite printing in many colorings, extra fine at 50 and 60 cents.

ALPACAS

Are shown now as a new dress stuff, but to some of us is an old one in a new finish only. Always good, very serviceable, 25 to 50 cents a yard.

Sacqueing Flannels

In styles, the handsomest ever known, 50 and 65 cents. Mosaic patterns 75 cents.

BOX SUIT PATTERNS

Continued styles, will be put on sale

TO-MORROW,

\$10.00 to \$50.00 each. See them and you will want them.

Printed Cashmere Robes

In most elaborate designs and colorings, just the thing for house wear. Luxury, Comfort and Elegance combined in these, 62½ cents to \$1.50 a yard.

BLACK GOODS.

This week we shall show a lot of Saxony stuffs valued at 75 cents, for 50 cents a yard.

NEW & BATHS

Wayne House Barber Shop.

At much expense and with the greatest care, we have arranged the following list of baths which will be served at all times with regular hours at the Wayne Hotel Barber Shop:

Shampoo	\$1.00
Shave	.50
Manicure	.75
Facial	.50
Head	.50
Neck	.50
Back	.50
Full	2.00

Experienced and willing attendants, the very best appointments, neatest arrangements and exclusive facilities are features of a specialty. To this department, entirely new to Fort Wayne, 1 hour public attention and public patronage.

SID HUBBARD, Proprietor of Wayne Hotel Barber Shop.

JOS. M. CLARK. PERRY N. DELAVEN.

Jos. M. Clark & Co.,

FASHIONABLE

Merchant Tailors

34 East Berry Street.

Are offering Rare Bargains in Winter Clothing for the next thirty days. Give them a call and get the latest styles.

Send \$1.25, \$2.10 or \$3.50

For a sample retail box by express, PREPAID, of the BEST CANDY IN AMERICA. Put up in elegant boxes suitable for presents. Returns to all Chicago. Address,

C. E. Gunther,

212 State St.,

Chicago, Ill.

Boston Tea Store.

—FOR—

Fine Groceries

20 West Berry Street.

Telephone 152. Feb 15

Boswell & Miller,

Druggists & Chemists.

Tollit Articles, etc. Prescriptions carefully compounded. We are new in Fort Wayne, but by no means new in the business. Give us a call. 11th Hotel Building. 4-15

Fort Wayne Sentinel.

MONDAY, FEB. 18, 1902.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. H. K. Parry spent the Sabbath at Huntington.

Mr. John H. Welch, the state roofer, was at Huntington Saturday.

Thousands of people visited the ruins of the Great Fox fire yesterday.

Mr. Dan House was at Angola all of last week on business for his firm.

Mrs. Herbert Kanover, of Huntington, is in the city, visiting friends.

Mr. Chas. A. Birt and H. Winfield, Detroit, and J. A. Dennis, Toledo, are at the Rich.

Mr. Fred Holman, the South Calhoun street druggist, is ill with inflammatory rheumatism.

Judge Ames, of Shelbyville, Ill., is visiting his brother Milo Ames, of 75 West Williams street.

Mr. T. W. Blair is traveling in the interest of the National Union. He is a member of the Supreme lodge.

Miss Mattie Smith, of Warsaw, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Lydia Bowker, of Breakersbridge street, for a few weeks.

The Grace Reformed church is arranging for a fair to be given the first week in March. It will probably be at the Academy.

Prof. Henry W. Diederich has loaned to Stewart & Mahan, of the Boston dry goods store, his handsome business room at 28 Calhoun street.

The state supreme court has denied the petition for a rehearing in the case of D. F. Goodrich Co. vs. J. O. Keller, certified up from this county.

Rev. J. H. Blase, formerly pastor of the Christian church, occupied the pulpit at the Berry street church last evening and preached an interesting sermon.

Mr. Joseph T. Baker and Miss Caroline Beck were married Saturday evening at the pastor's residence by Rev. M. C. Cooper, the pastor of the St. Paul M. E. church. Only a few relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony.

Mrs. Wm. White, mother of Mr. E. B. and William White, Jr., mechanics of the Pennsylvania company, is visiting at the house of Mr. E. R. White, 89 East Lewis street. Her home is at Wabash, Ind., and this is her first visit to Fort Wayne.

The diocesan report of the Catholic orphan asylum, published in The Sentinel Saturday, was read from the Catholic pulpit yesterday. It is a magnificent evidence of Catholic charity, directed, too, without regard to race or creed.

The Logansport Phoenix says: "Judge Winfield has granted a temporary restraining order in the case of Mary Hamilton Williams, of Fort Wayne, against the Logansport Natural Gas company. The case will be called up in the circuit court next Monday morning."

Dr. White Cloud made a failure of his second visit to Kokomo. It is not denied, however, that "Tah-wah" is a beverage greatly used by citizens of Kokomo, but the suggestion is given out that it is not of the White Cloud brand, and is mixed with lemon and sugar.

Mr. Fred Ritter, a cigarmaker, who came to this city recently, died at the St. Joe hospital Saturday of consumption. The funeral took place this morning, and was under the direction of the International Cigarmakers' Union, No. 37, of which organization he was a member.

Will Eckert, son of John O. Eckert, arrived home from Duluth Saturday evening. He is a helpless sufferer with inflammatory rheumatism and had to be conveyed in a carriage to his home on Williams street. Mr. Eckert has been looking after his father's interests at Duluth.

The sale of seats for the City band concert has been large, and a full house is usual is assured. The attractions this year are unusually fine, including Fred Austin, the famous cornet soloist of Gilmore's band, Wm. Moebius, a violinist of a national reputation, late of Berlin, the Enphonia Double Quartette, Reinke's orchestra and the always popular City band. The program will be a varied one and is bound to please everybody. The First Regiment band was out with them.

The compilers of the "History of the Upper Manumee Valley" have already made considerable progress in the collection of material for the work. The publishers, Messrs. Brand & Fuller, have certainly shown excellent judgment in the selection of their local writers. Conspicuous among those who have agreed to assist in the compilation are Col. B. S. Robertson, Judge Allen Zollars, Hon. F. P. Randall, Father Lang, Dr. Benj. S. Woodward, Prof. H. W. Diederich and Dr. Jno. S. Irwin. With such an able and conscientious corps of writers the historical field, which is unusually rich, will certainly be carefully scanned, and accuracy may be expected.

Mr. L. B. Root went to Terre Haute to-day.

The "Queen's Mate" carry a chorus of seventy voices.

"Natural Gas" burns brightly at the Tompko Friday night.

Joseph T. Baker and Caroline Beck have been licensed to wed.

Mr. C. T. Melshimer, of Bluffton, is in the city to-day, on business.

Mrs. Mason Long left for Portland, Oregon, to-day to join her husband.

Jim Sheridan, the ex-politician, is now writing political squibs for the Gazette.

Mr. W. H. Brady, of Root & Co., has entirely recovered from his prolonged illness.

Society Indiana florists meet in annual convention at Indianapolis Friday and Saturday next.

John E. McKinstry owns Cytone Warner et al. on a note to recover \$300. C. L. Medsker is attorney.

Mr. J. W. Palmer, of Massenknoke, is the guest of his brother in law, Mr. Geo. Loesch, the druggist.

The sale of seats for "Queen's Mate" opens Wednesday next. The prices are 25, 50, 75 cents, \$1 and \$1.50.

At church-going time, last evening, there was not an electric light shining in the city and it was in total darkness.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Dwinger leaves this evening for Washington, D. C., to attend the centenary celebration, next Wednesday, of Georgetown university.

Indian soldiers favoring service pension will hold convention at Indianapolis March 12. County meetings, to select delegates, are advised to be held March 2.

Lillian, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Rogers, of 12 Oliver street, died Saturday evening of inflammation of the bowels. The funeral occurred this afternoon.

Frank Connolly, Ben Woods and Wm. Ruder were the names given by three young men arrested for creating a disturbance at Mark Clark's house of ill-fame, on the north-side. They were all fined.

Mr. Peter J. Mettler, a prominent insurance man of Toledo, Ohio, is in the city. He came here to greet his cousin, Mr. Nicholas Brown, who has just been ordained to the priesthood, and heard him sing his first mass yesterday.

The revival meetings began at the Christian church, corner Griffith and Jefferson streets, last night, with a very large and highly interested audience. The black board diagram, representing heaven, the world, the church and hell, will be on to-night. Subject, to-night: "Church Founding." Come out and listen.

The congregations at the Wayne street M. E. church yesterday, were fairly large and an excellent spirit of devotion was manifested. At the morning service ten persons united with the church. In the Sabbath school a large number arose for prayers and all felt that the Holy Spirit was present to seal upon the heart the truth.

The services held yesterday afternoon at the rooms of the Women's Christian Temperance Union by the Soldiers of Honor and members of the Loyal Legion, two flourishing temperance organizations, were interesting. Miss Carrie B. Schrader presented an attractive and instructive blackboard lesson, and Miss Ella Willard gave an interesting temperance lesson.

Chester Greer, brother of Deputy County Treasurer Tom Greer, was tendered a surprise party at the home of his father, in Pleasant township, Saturday night. Mr. Greer went to Five Points in the evening and, returning home later, found a merry party to greet him. The surprise was complete and the occasion exceedingly pleasant, as it always is at the Greer home.

Mr. D. P. Bower, a traveling salesman for a Pittsburgh glass factory, whose home is in Reading, Pa., spent Sunday in the city. He is an elder in the Presbyterian church, in that city, of which Rev. J. L. Leeper, of the Second church, in this city, used to have the pastoral charge. He is a very devout Christian gentleman and attended his former and much beloved pastor's house of worship here yesterday morning, when he heard that distinguished and eloquent young disciple on Christ deliver an able discourse of the topic: "Fruit Bearing." At the Sabbath school Mr. Bower ably instructed the Bible class.

Rev. Nicholas Brown, of this city, who was ordained to the priesthood at Nashville, Tenn., last week, sang his first mass yesterday morning at the St. Mary's Catholic church. He is a brilliant young man and will make his mark in the church to which he has consecrated his life. He will leave this week for Nashville, Tenn., where he enters his clerical work with Bishop Rademacher. In the evening a reception was tendered Rev. Brown by the families of his parents—the Browns and the Mettlers, and some 200 guests were present to congratulate the young priest. A magnificent supper was spread and the occasion was an enjoyable one. Some seventy members of his parents' families were present.

Mr. O. N. Hewson, the attorney, is at Chicago.

Sheriff Viborg sent Charles Lyman to the state insane asylum this morning.

Mr. Geo. D. Crane left for Noblesville this afternoon, on legal business.

City Attorney and Mrs. Henry Colarik came home from New York City Saturday last.

Miss Minna Rosenthal, daughter of Dr. Rosenthal, will leave to-morrow for a visit at Chicago.

The Jefferson Building and Louis association will meet to-morrow night to receive first payments.

Henry Bulow, Adam Jones and John Smith were fined for drunkenness by the mayor this morning.

Representative Shambaugh has introduced eight bills in the house. Mr. Oppenheim five and Mr. Gladie one.

Six new members were received into the Catholic Knights yesterday. The organization is growing admirably.

A woodshed belonging to John Bruha, at the corner of Harrison and Highland streets, was burned down yesterday morning.

The New York Clipper says that Carrie Hill Carlisle, of this city, has ordered the release of her divorced husband, McNaught, who promised to support her.

Mr. Michael Baites entertained his friends at his hospitable home in an exceedingly pleasant way, Saturday evening. The occasion was his birthday anniversary.

Joe White, the famous boot-black, left for Chicago this afternoon, to visit relatives. He wishes his friends to understand that he has no matrimonial intent, whatever.

John Krook, of the Eighth ward, who has been doing considerable building on the farm of Hon. J. K. Edgerton, down at Edgerton on the Nickel Plate, spent Sunday with his family.

Mr. John Lillie has sold his fine home at Huntington, but has a contract to have his home shipped from that point. He still holds his home quarters at Wabash and simply sold his Huntington property to bring his business under his control.

Herman Witke had a narrow escape from death this morning, while walking along the Muncie track, in this city. The blinding snow prevented him from seeing an approaching switch engine and he was struck by it and knocked down. The engine was moving slowly and he escaped serious injury.

The Indianapolis Sentinel publishes a call for a state meeting to organize a tariff reform league March 14. The call has signatures in all the cities of the state. Fort Wayne is represented by W. H. Shambaugh, R. G. Bell, Christian Becker, W. S. Oppenheim, S. M. Foster and Charles McCulloch.

The county commissioners Saturday afternoon awarded the contract for the stone foundation for the proposed new bridge on East Main or Columbia streets to Smith Bussel, a contractor from Greensburg, Ind. They will meet to-morrow to further consider the proposals for the iron work or superstructure.

Judge O'Rourke this morning decreed to Martha E. Humphrey et al. a judgment for \$508.37 against John Humphrey et al. He divorced Hannah Vogel from Jacob Vogel and gave her the custody of their child for two years. A new trial was granted in the case of Glutting & Bauer against Elizabeth Barnett and the damage suit of Mary DeWald against the Bass foundry and machine works was postponed until March 2.

FIRE NEWS.

Mr. Fox Will Lease a House \$30.000.

Skelton, West & Wile's Loss.

The fire department had to come out a half dozen times since Friday night to subdue the recurring fires at the Fox building. There was, so much coal and stuff in the basement that it could not be smothered, and as late as this afternoon it blazed up.

Mr. Louis Fox had his fireproof vault opened this morning, and found the safe, books and papers as snug as they were when he locked up Friday night.

The firm is already doing business on East Columbia street, and in fact, they are supplying orders as though nothing happened, with all the salesmen out on the road.

They found their insurance on the building and stock was only \$22,500, so that they will suffer a clean loss \$80,000.

Mr. Wile, of the firm of Skelton, Watt & Wile, said this morning that they had an insurance of \$18,000, and had papers to show it, bearing the same name, out as correct. They have telegraphed for a complete stock of goods, and will have everything in line to send their salesmen out next Monday.

For five days only—Underwear and hosiery at cost. Sam, Pete & Max. 15-54

Mrs. Hamilton, 14 West Berry street, is desirous of raising a class of twenty-five pupils for teaching cutting, fitting and general dressmaking. Ladies should apply before Feb. 25. Terms will be given on application. Call morning or evening. 18-41

THE NEWS AT THE DEPOTS

And Around the Story Center of the City as Gathered by the Sentinel Reporter.

The Wabash pay car will be in the city next Saturday.

No. 5 on the Pittsburg was four hours late yesterday.

The Wabash shops are building two passenger and two freight locomotives.

Superintendent Worthington, of the Muncie, went east this morning, on the Wabash.

Adam Bucher and John Feigen have resigned their positions as firemen on the Nickel Plate.

The snow storm this morning interfered but little with the running of trains on railroads.

Henry Eix, of the Bass blacksmith shops, who had his eye injured a few days ago, has returned to work.

Engineers Dan McFee and James Hardigan, of the Nickel Plate, have been on the sick list for the last few days.

The snow brigade was out in full force, this morning, at the depots, cleaning "the beautiful," from the tracks.

The big hammer at the Bass blacksmith shops, was idle this morning, on account of some repairs about the furnace.

A number of sleeping berths for the Pittsburg limited going east to-night had already been sold at an early hour this morning.

Foreman McKinnis, of the Pennsylvania company's line repairs, has gone east to join his wife, who has been visiting there for several weeks.

The moulding rooms at the Bass works were shut down to-day on account of the non-arrival of iron, and all the employees had a day off to commence the week.

The Old Fort Wayne pulley manufacturing company have received an order from San Francisco, Cal., for 320 pulleys. This is the largest order the firm has ever received.

The Pennsylvania railroad company has taken out a charter for a new line in New Jersey that will shorten the route between Philadelphia and New York. It is to be used only for through freights.

William Wurtle, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shops, celebrated the anniversary of his birth Saturday, and in the evening he was attended by Berner's orchestra. The boys made him a handsome present.

Edward Pasley, formerly of the Pennsylvania company, had his foot cut off some time ago by a railroad accident at Chicago, and his father, Thomas Pasley, is now raising money to purchase an artificial foot for him by lotterizing off a stove.

Frank Wito, the gate keeper at the Pittsburg shops, is lotterying off a set of carpenter tools and some musical instruments, and as Frank is a deserving employe, having lost an arm in the service of the company, his tickets are meeting with a ready sale.

The Pennsylvania company has abandoned the padlock for locking freight cars, fastening them with a seal, which is just as secure as a padlock, and being so easily broken by a car robber as the other. By law it is a serious offense for any person to break or tamper with these seals.

A wreck occurred on the Pittsburg road at Adams station, Saturday evening, by train No. 11 running into a freight train on the Richmond road, as it was pulling over the Pittsburg track to go south. Three cars of the Richmond freight train were badly smashed in and the Pittsburg locomotive was derailed. No person was injured, but the tracks were blocked for several hours.

It is understood that Vice President and General Manager McCree, of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg, will this week issue an order similar to that issued on the Pennsylvania lines east of Pittsburg, that no freight trains will be run Sunday except those carrying perishable goods and live stock. Such a movement on the part of this important railroad system will lead to other roads taking similar action.

Mr. W. D. Miller, foreman of the Nickel Plate round house, has been called east by the death of his father, whose funeral occurs to-morrow.

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60 Custom-Made Suits for \$30.00

70 Custom-Made Suits for \$35.00

80 Custom-Made Suits for \$40.00

90 Custom-Made Suits for \$45.00

100 Custom-Made Suits for \$50.00

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